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124 NORTH KOREAN TROOPS
KILLED ALONG PARALLEL IN MAY

On 26 May 1949, the National Defense Department announced the following results of the military action along the 38th Parallel during May:

1. The North Korean troops who invaded the Ongjin area met strong resistance by the National Army and the constabulary. After a fierce battle, the enemy's force was completely repelled on 25 May.

2. The result of the battle during the week 18 to 24 May is as follows:

a. Total number of invasions by
North Korean troops during week 25

Total enemy strength	1,500
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Enemy killed 124

Enemy captured 1

Unaccountable number of enemy weapons and installations, including warehouses, captured or destroyed [sic].

- b. National Army casualties:

Killed .. 7

Wounded	14
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- c. Constabulary casualties:

Killed	3
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Wounded	14
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Number of civilians kidnapped by enemy	2
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Number of police stations destroyed by enemy fire 1

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